

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
SUSANNE BERLIN et al. ) : Examiner Richard C. Weisberger  
Application No. 10/718,004 ) : Art Unit 3693  
Filed: November 20, 2003 ) : Confirmation No. 8749  
For: ELECTRONIC ACQUISITION )  
SYSTEM AND METHOD USING A :  
PORTAL TO FACILITATE DATA )  
VALIDATION AND TO PROVIDE A :  
UNIVERSAL CLIENT INTERFACE ) : December 8, 2009

## Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents  
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## AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 14, 2009, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

- amendments to the claims are presented in a listing that begins at page 2; and
- remarks begin at page 9.